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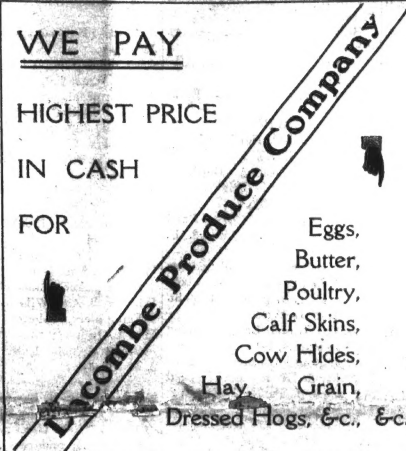
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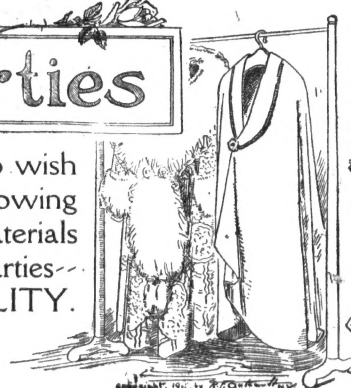
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Women's Elastic ribbed Vests and Drawers, made of heavy wool finished cotton. Each garment is made "full" sized. Vests open front. Drawers open or closed style. All sizes 32 to 40.

A Special Value

In Men's Cashmere and Worsted "Heather" Socks. Every thread pure wool, seamless feet, sizes 10 to 12. 3 pairs for \$1.00

Men's Working Gloves

of pliable, tough wearing stock, gloves that fit and give perfect satisfaction. A liberal assortment to choose from. Price 75c. up.

THE FALL FAIR WAS A SUCCESS

**Exhibit of Horses and Cattle Was
the Best Ever Seen Here.—Large
Crowd in Attendance.**

Under the auspices of the Lacombe Agricultural Society, the Central Alberta Exhibition which was held on Thursday and Friday last week, proved one of the most successful fairs in its history.

Hundreds patronized it each day and found the fair well worth the time and money. The weather was ideal, the crowds were joyous and happy, the gate receipts poured into the box office like chaff from a threshing blow-pipe, and the gatekeepers were kept very busy collecting the carboards.

It was a cosmopolitan crowd, which numbered upwards of 1,500 persons, all of whom were of Western citizens, including people of our own district, and great numbers from Oyster and Stettler and other places east, while Red Deer and south and north towns generally contributed their numbers to us for the day. Here you rubbed shoulders with the plainly dressed farmer and stockman, who has just made a cool three-thousand dollars out of his grain fields or a like sum from a bunch of steers, and who shrewdly calculates that another year of plenty will put him on the retired list, and all around could be seen the youthful Western citizen and his best girl watching the sports with eager eyes and spending his money, which brought abundant joy to the vendor of lemonade and candy.

It is the crowd that makes the fair. Other fairs held here have had good exhibits, but the people were not there to look at them, and things did not go just the same.

Some machinery exhibits were given by Anderson & Robinson, D. C. Thompson, and H. T. Brown, each claiming superior merits for the machines made by the different companies they represent. The space in the pavilion was well taken up with various exhibits, ranging from a balloon suspended by a dainty hem stitch. The vegetables and roots, especially the potatoes, were very good, and the show of grain and seeds, though not large, did credit to us as an agricultural community. The ladies' work occupied almost the entire space upstairs, and proved to be one of the most interesting features of the day. The dairy exhibit was also something not passed by unnoticed, and is worthy of commendation.

The entries in the horses and cattle classes were many, as nearly every class had competitors. The fat aloof cattle afforded a pleasing sight, likewise the many prize horses. The swine, sheep and poultry entries were not as numerous as was looked for though all entries were well up to the standard and worthy of prizes.

There were no horse races but the programme of sports provided plenty of amusement for the crowd. The Red Deer vs. Alx baseball game, which many spectators had come purposely to see, was a whole afternoon session and an interesting match which finished in Red Deer's favor with a score of 6-5.

The winners in the sports and the judging results are as follows: Ball game—Red Deer 6, Alx 5. Girls' basketball, Lacombe vs. Ponoka, tie, 4-4. Boys' race, under 16, W. A. McLean; 2, E. Edgington; Boys under 12, J. Edgington; 2, L. Crow. Girls under 16, L. Lizzie McLean; 2, Bernice Bailey; 3, Mora Cameron. Girls under 12, L. Effie Storey; 2, Alberta Butcher. Hop, step and jump, 1, Johnston; 2, Graveley. 100 yards dash, 1, Gunn; 2, A. Miller. One mile race, 1, J. White; 2, C. Warner.

HORSES—Class 1, Clydes (Reg.) Stallion, 3 years—1, W. N. Randall; 2, A. Ledingham-Laing; 3, A. Boyd. Stallion, 2 years—1, Sargeant; 2, Laidman. Stallion, 1 year—1, T. Henderson; 2, Nellis; 3, Mitchell. Foal, 1910—1, G. H. Hutton; 2, R. Gibson. Brood mare with foal—1, G. H. Hutton; 2, R. Gibson.

Dry brood mare—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, A. Ledingham; 3, G. H. Hutton.

Filly, 3 years—G. H. Hutton. Filly, 2 years—R. Gibson.

Class 2, Percherons (Reg.) Stallion, 3 years—1, Mountain Grove Horse Co.; 2, M. Vili; 3, A. Halse.

Class 3, Suffolk Punch (Reg.) Stallion, 3 years—1, G. Jacques; 2, G. Jacques.

Dry brood mare—1, G. Jacques; 2, G. Jacques.

Class 4, Heavy Draught. Filly or gelding, 1 year—1, T. Riddoch; 2, P. A. Switzer.

Filly or gelding, 2 years—1, H. Langrook; 2, Nellis-Mitchell; 3, W. Mand.

Team to wagon—1, J. Riddoch; 2, G. Jacques; 3, J. Riddoch.

Four-horse team to wagon—1, R. Gibson.

Brood mare with foal—1, J. Riddoch; 2, E. W. Simpson.

Dry brood mare—H. Bowen. Foal, 1910—J. Riddoch.

Class 5, Agricultural Purpose. Colt, 1 year—1, Parker & Evans; 2, B. Bailey; 3, T. Henderson.

Filly, 2 years—1, H. Langrook; 2, W. Mand; 3, J. Jacobson.

Team to wagon—1, G. Jacques; 2, T. Talbot; 3, J. Riddoch.

Brood mare, foal by side—1, J. Riddoch; 2, T. Henderson; 3, B. Bailey.

Dry brood mare—1, T. Talbot; 2, H. Langrook; 3, T. Talbot.

Foal 1910—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, B. Bailey; 3, R. Johnston.

Class 9, Roadster and Carriage. Filly or gelding 1 year—1, A. Boyd; 2, W. Mand.

Filly or gelding, 2 years—1, J. Southward.

Single in harness—1, T. Taylor; 2, H. Bowen; 3, R. Scott.

Pair of mares—A. Campbell. Best saddle horse, ladies—1, Mrs. Graham; 2, Miss Bowen.

Best saddle horse, gents—H. Langrook.

Best cow horse—H. Day. Special Prizes for Horses.

Best carriage team—A. M. Campbell.

Best two-year-old heavy draught colt—H. Langrook.

Best registered Clyde mare, 3 years old—A. Ledingham.

Best registered Clyde mare with foal at side—1, G. H. Hutton; 2, R. Gibson.

Best heavy team in harness—P. A. Switzer.

Best colt sired by Briquet—1, G. Sampell; 2, S. Coverdale.

Best single turnout, lady driver—Fred Taylor.

Best agricultural team to wagon—Thos. Talbot.

CATTLE—Class 10, Shorthorns. Bull, 1 year—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, R. Scott; 3, T. Talbot.

Bull calf—1, T. Talbot; 2, P. A. Switzer.

Cow—1, R. Scott; 2, P. A. Switzer; 3, W. Gibson.

Heifer, 2 years—1, 2, and 3, R. Scott.

Heifer—1, R. Scott; 2, P. A. Switzer; 3, T. Talbot.

Heifer under one year—1, T. Talbot; 2, P. A. Switzer; 3, T. Talbot.

Herd—1, R. Scott; 2, T. Talbot. Class 11, Polled Angus (Reg.) Bull, 3 years—1, E. Saunders; 2, J. Capron.

Bull, 2 years—T. Henderson. Bull, 1 year—1, J. Capron; 2, J. Fay.

3, P. Ballantine; 5, Parker & Evans. Heifer, 1 year—1, O. Palmer; 2, P. Ballantine; 3, O. Palmer.

Heifer under one year—1, O. Palmer; 2, P. Ballantine; 3, O. Palmer.

Herd—1, P. Ballantine; 2, O. Palmer; 3, Parker & Evans.

Class 14, Grade Beef. Heifer, one year—1, R. Scott; 2, T. Henderson; 3, Parker & Evans.

Heifer, two years—1, R. Scott; 2 and 3, A. Boyd.

Cow in calf—1, A. Boyd; 2 and 3, R. Scott.

Steer, two years—1 and 2, T. Talbot; 3, J. Capron.

Steer, one year—1, T. Henderson; 2, A. Boyd; 3, Parker & Evans.

Fat cow—1, T. Talbot; 2, A. Boyd; 3, R. Scott.

Calf raised by hand, 1910—1, T. Talbot; 2, J. Capron.

Calf raised by cow—1 and 2, A. Boyd; 3, R. Scott.

Herd of steers—1, A. Boyd; 2, J. Capron.

Class 15, Ayrshires (Reg.) With the exception of one prize to J. J. Gregory, all others in this class went to W. Winslow.

Class 16, Holsteins. Thirteen prizes in this class went to G. E. White.

Special Prizes in Cattle. Best herd of cattle any breed—P. M. Ballantine.

Best herd of Holsteins—G. E. White.

Best fat steer, four years old—T. Talbot.

Best herd Shorthorns—R. J. Scott.

SWINE. All prizes to T. Henderson.

SHEEP. All prizes won by A. Boyd, R. E. Johnston, and H. Elliott.

POULTRY. Brown Leghorns—Cockerel and two pullets—1, John Ross; 2, L. B. Browne.

Plymouth Rocks—Cock and two hens—1 and 2, John Ross. Cockerel and two pullets—1, John Ross; 2, A. L. Whitten.

Rhode Island Reds—Cockerel and two pullets, 1, L. B. Browne. Orpingtons—Cock and two hens, 1, Parker & Evans. Cockerel and two pullets, 1, Parker & Evans; 2, Thos. Henderson.

Pair turkeys—1, Thos. Henderson.

Pair geese—1, R. E. Johnston; 2, G. O. Godfrey.

Best coop poultry any breed—Thos. Henderson.

GRAIN. Spring wheat—J. R. Donnsworth.

Fall wheat—1, J. C. Vaughan; 2, A. Ledingham.

Six rowed barley—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, J. L. Storey.

White oats for milling—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, J. L. Storey.

Oats for feed—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, J. L. Storey.

Rye—2, A. L. Whitten. Timothy seed—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, J. L. Storey.

Brome grass—1, P. A. Switzer. Rye grass—1, Thos. Henderson; 2, P. A. Switzer.

Collection grains and grasses—1, G. H. Grant.

Roots and Field Crops. Swede turnips—1, J. J. Gregory; 2, J. A. Fife.

Aberdeen turnips—1, J. J. Gregory; 2, E. Saunders.

Turnips, any other—1, J. J. Gregory.

Field Carrots—1, P. H. Peterson; 2, Jas. Chiswell.

Mangolds—1, Thos. Rider; 2, J. J. Gregory.

Potatoes, red—1, G. H. Grant; 2, J. A. Fife.

Potatoes, white—1, G. H. Grant; 2, P. H. Peterson.

Potatoes, least number in bushel—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, G. E. White.

Sugar beets—1, Thos. Rider. Collection of potatoes—1, G. H. Grant.

Tomatoes—1, Thos. Rider; 2, R. Johnston. Pumpkins—1, Thos. Rider. Squash—1, Thos. Rider; 2, R. Johnston.

Corn—1, Thos. Rider; 2, Parker & Evans. Charlotte onions—1, J. H. Gros.

Table turnips—1, P. A. Switzer; 2, Thos. Rider.

Collection of vegetables—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, Jas. Chiswell; 3, Parker & Evans.

Dairy Produce. Butter in firkin—1, Alex. Wilson. Butter in prints—1, Alex. Wilson; 2, A. L. Whitten.

Creamery butter—1, G. A. Anderson.

COOKING. Bread—1, L. B. Browne; 2, D. Cameron.

Buns—1, H. Bowen; 2, A. L. Whitten.

Gingerbread—1, L. B. Browne; 2, Mrs. J. Gray.

Oatmeal cookies—1, L. B. Browne; 2, Alex. Wilson.

Collection of cake—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, Mrs. Jas. Gray.

Mixed pickles—1, Mrs. Jas. Gray; 2, J. A. Fife.

Collection preserves—Mrs. Jas. Gray.

SPECIALS. Bread—(Dinner special) 1, Mrs. J. D. McGilivray. Buns, H. Bowen.

Bread—(McLeod special), Mrs. Jas. Gray.

Biscuits—(Campbell's special) 1, J. H. Watt; 2, J. L. Storey; 3, L. B. Browne.

Ladies' Work. Crochet slippers—1, Jos. Capron; 2, Mrs. W. B. Dorr.

Fancy knitting in wool—1, A. A. Henry.

Knitted mitts—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, J. A. Fife.

Knitted socks—1, Mrs. Dorr; 2, D. Cameron.

Darning and patching—1, R. Watson; 2, Mrs. Dorr.

Fancy pillow shams—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, Alex. Wilson.

Embroidery, colored silk—1, Mrs. A. Quilter; 2, J. J. Gregory.

Mount Mellick—1, R. Watson; 2, Mrs. Gray.

Eyebolt embroidery—1, Mrs. Fowler; 2, Mrs. H. Bowen.

Shadow embroidery—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, J. J. Gregory.

Heddo embroidery—1, Mrs. B. S. Cameron.

Hardanger—1, A. L. Whitten. Point lace—1, Mrs. A. Quilter; 2, J. J. Gregory.

Battenburg lace—1 and 2, Mrs. A. Quilter.

Drawn work—1, R. Watson; 2, Jos. Capron.

Hand sewing—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, Mrs. H. Bowen.

Hemstitching—1, A. L. Whitten; 2, U. E. Reeves.

Fancy pin cushion—1, Mrs. Dorr; 2, Mrs. A. Quilter.

Fancy sofa cushion—1, C. Stack; 2, W. S. Mooney.

Sofa pillow, long and short stitch—1, Mrs. B. S. Cameron; 2, Jas. A. Fife.

Sofa pillow embroidered—1, Jas. A. Fife; 2, Jos. Capron.

Knitted or crocheted shawl, wool—1, Jas. A. Fife.

Centrepieces for polish table—1, Mrs. Dorr; 2, W. S. Mooney.

Burnt work, wood—1, W. S. Mooney; 2, J. J. Gregory.

Five o'clock tea cloth—1, Mrs. A. Quilter; 2, J. A. Fife.

Oil painting—1, H. A. Day; 2, Mrs. H. Bowen.

Water color painting—1, J. J. Gregory; 2, H. A. Day.

Crochet doily—1, U. E. Reeves. Tatted doily—1, A. A. Henry. Picture drape—1, Mrs. A. Quilter.

McARTHUR DEFEATS RESIGNER RILEY.

**The Liberal Candidate Wins
Gleichen by a Large
Majority.**

In the bye election in Gleichen, caused by the resignation of R. H. Riley, held on Monday last, A. J. McArthur defeated that gentleman by a majority that will probably total 200 when full returns are in.

The record to date shows that 1551 votes were polled in the constituency of this number. McArthur secured 980, while Riley enrolled 571. In Calgary the Independent candidate secured a majority of 68 and only in the evening as the reports came in it looked as though he would be elected by a slight majority, but when the reports commenced to pile in from the polling places in the eastern section of the constituency those who had any such ideas speedily saw where they were mistaken.

There were not as many surprises as was at first expected there would be. In Hillhurst a comparatively light vote was polled, Riley winning the poll by 98 of a majority, but this slight lead was offset by the Liberal candidates' record in Riverside and Crescent Heights, where he polled nearly double the votes secured by his opponent.

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clude the vast amount required for the maintenance of paupers who have been made so through intemperance. It is furthermore estimated that about 70 per cent of all crime committed in the United States is caused by drunkenness. This gives us an estimate of the relation of drunkenness to crime.

The burden of pauperism in Great Britain is heavy indeed upon the tax-payer. Hazell's Annual of 1909 gives the following report: "The total amount raised by the poor rates during the year ending Lady Day 1908 was £25,958,945 (\$134,794,725). There is no fixed limit to the amount of the rate which may be raised by the authorities."

Drunkenness, improvidence and pauperism follow each other down the alley. The children in drunken homes are handicapped from the start. Taken even a normal child, starve him, feed him an unbalanced ration so that he has no material in his system for constructing strong healthy bone, firm muscle and average brain. Give him little or no education. Deprive him of a knowledge of the art of living, of the advantages of a practical home training founded on honesty, industry and kindness. Then put him at work. He flags and founders. He is incapable of sustained effort. He has no training—jack of all trades and master of none. In despair he too may grasp for some alcoholic stimulant but alcohol does not sustain. He falls down, loses confidence in himself and gradually drifts into the stream of pauperism.

Such as is being done for such people, they cannot be made over into strong able-bodied normal citizens equipped for useful helpful work. But of any good ground these unfortunate people have to work upon for at best their lives are blighted and human help cannot restore them to their rightful inheritance. There is only one solution. Begin with the children. This is what the Children's Aid Society is endeavoring to do. The workers of this society believe in religiously guarding the interests of children in enforcing public school education as provided for under the act in seeing that every child has food and clothing and the correct moral environment wherein he may naturally evolve or unfold to the best of citizenship. The Society also removes children who are in bad homes—victims of neglect and debauchery, and places them in good homes that by judicious training, improvidence and its demoralizing train of results may be forestalled. The Children's Aid organization through its system of probation is today saving 95 per cent of the delinquent children by directing their misguided energies.

The Children's Aid Society is a great forum in reducing pauperism. Your contributions form the lever. The Department of Neglected Children endeavors to set the good work in operation. And thus you are not only helping to make child lives bright and happy but are preventing the blight of pauperism from existing among and subsisting upon our people.

Let Canada bend her energies in the pride and enthusiasm of a young nation, toward saving the children, for thus only can she outdo the enormous expenditure for criminality, thus only can she dispense with the

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Lacombe

Market Report

Butter 20c. per lb.
Eggs 22c. per doz.
35c. per bus. is being offered for potatoes, but there are rumors of higher prices being obtainable.

Millinery Department

While it is the all-important question of a Hat, and the choosing of it from the Fall and Winter models, that mainly occupies this department, our large stock of Millinery Trimmings is not without interest, it includes an attractive range of

Market Report

We think farmers are looking for higher prices for their crops than will be realized, but there is no doubt good prices will be obtained.

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Clouds Wraps Toques

show up in heaps on our tables, and small change goes a long way among them.

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will find these woollen articles much cheaper with us than they are under

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Wings Feathers
Bandeaux
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It hardly pays to make your own wrapper, for after buying the cloth, the amount saved would be very small. Buying it ready-made is one way in which advantage can be taken of the

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of the East. We can show you wrappers at several prices and in a satisfying variety of patterns and styles. Our new stock is larger than usual, and new goods and lots to choose from is often

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of that kind generally lead no-where. The short and simple proposition of the

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We bought very heavily in a particular line of Fall and Winter Hose. They were.

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and we have every size from 4 1/2 up to 10.



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in a suit of clothes, is now as readily obtainable at the frontier, in the manufactured garments, as in the centres of fashion. We fully recognise that our customers insist on the best. This Fall

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Western Globe Subscription

Since our recent offer of the "Western Globe," our local paper, for

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to non-subscribers only, many of our customers have asked for a repetition of the offer, and by arrangement we are pleased to be able to do it again. We wish our store news to regularly reach our customers

Send us 25c.

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Our Public Schools.

The public schools all over the country are now under way and have by this time settled down for the season's work. How many of us realize what a boon it is to have free schools where the coming generation may lay the foundations of a training which will fit them for their life's work. Of course we have become so accustomed to it that we consider free schools merely a matter of course. But not so very long ago schools were not free. They were supported by the people who had children to send, and the teacher boarded round. But those were the "good old days" so full of the romance we hear about. We are now living in the twentieth century and must keep abreast of the times. Every man in the land, be he Grain Grower or elevator man should have a deep interest in our rural schools. The city and town schools do not require so much attention. The population in these centers is near to the schools and can take advantage of them without difficulty. Out in the country, however, where children have often several miles to walk the proposition is far different. Too often the children, after their long walk enter a school room that is far from inviting and is not equipped with a capable teacher nor with the ordinary necessary appliances for carrying on educational work. Our schools as a rule are neglected. Our boys and girls are our greatest national asset, of incomparably more value than all the other products of our hands or of nature. Yet how lightly are preparations made to care for their future. To improve the system of marketing grain or live stock the people are at once ready to exert themselves. Why should not the same energy be devoted to the proper training of our youth. The farmers in the West cannot lay a surer foundation for the future than by ensuring that their children shall be properly equipped to fulfil those duties that may fall to their lot. We often talk of the "battle of life" but the right spirit in which to train the youths is that of service. If our children while young have instilled in their minds the value of good and efficient service their lives will be of added usefulness to themselves and their country. What is today's greatest drawback in the land? It is the need of efficient men and women to serve the people in public positions. By educating our children now to the sacredness of a position of public trust need will be sown to bear fruit in years to come. To accomplish such work the training must be in capable hands. That means a higher standard of teachers. Human nature is the same among school teachers as among other classes of people. They do not care to spend many years in training themselves to teach and then earn less than a stenographer in a city office or a laborer in the harvest field. Children should also be taught in a schoolroom that has something attractive in its appearance. It will cost but little to make a school room attractive and will be worth a great deal. Probably at this time of the year many boys and girls are kept out of school to assist during the harvest and threshing. It may be necessary in some cases but the principle is a bad one. Until boys and girls are sixteen years of age their place is at school during the school season. The law of the land should compel parents to see that their children are given at least the advantages of a common school education. This is only giving a child a square deal and anything short of it is out. The farmers of the West in their determination to reform conditions should not fix their gaze upon distant abuses so strongly as to forget that there is still room for improvements in the smallest self-governing district in the country—the school section. By making things right at the present time the men and women of the future will not be handicapped in their work as are many men and women of today. Remember if the children of today do not have the advantages of all that the common schools can give them the fault cannot be laid at their door; the fault is that of the parents or those who are responsible for the upbringing of the children.

The Mad Hatter.

(The "Prowler" in The Ottawa Free Press.)

The mad hatter, is certainly abroad. Go to church, any church—late hour, early hour, any hour—and proceed to the pew, any pew—front pew, back pew—then go down on your knees—any creed knees—and make the effort to collect your thoughts, any thoughts—pious or profane—can you do it? No, you can't—nothing but the "collection" can be collected in churches now-a-days because of the hats, cartwheel hats, windmill hats and hats that resemble the statue of Liberty, which hover and tower and destroy even the perspective of poor sinners here of heaven!

The Sunday service has almost become a Millinery Display in this year of our Lord—nineteen-hundred-and-ten, while the monarchical spirit in Crown, high crown, low crown, smooth-crown and crown which appear as over-excesses of the wearer's brain are brought up sharply by republican flags in ribbons and adorned on as plates of steel, of glass, of diamonds themselves, while hatpins, a regular battalion of spears stick out menacingly but victoriously!

Think of the human brain capable of turning out one of these extraordinary helmets in gaww! Purple and red velvet how purple and green and red and yellow shades are made, by coming and do homage to Beauty! Unravel if you can that towering mass of straw which has evolved itself out of the cow's breakfast in the field and has become a crowning glory which interferes with and indeed shares the glory of heaven—on Sunday!

Road Problem.

When a road is so heavy that a team cannot pull more than half a ton, in addition to the weight of the wagon, it costs more to haul a load of wheat 12 miles from the farm to the railway than it does to ship the same wheat from Edmonton to the same railway. No wonder that the Alberta farmer hauls his grain to market just as cheaply and easily as the farmer in Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Indiana, Illinois or elsewhere, where they have been building roads for half a century. The country roads in Alberta are no better and no worse than they are in the states named. In some states they are beginning to devote some attention to road building and some excellent turnpikes have been constructed. But the old, hub-deep mud roads are still in the majority, crippling the farmer's pocketbook, crippling his horses and ruining his chances of redemption.

A team of horses and driver are worth \$5 per day. They can earn that much on any railway dump or public work. To haul a load 12 miles to market on a bad road is a day's work. Theoretically a team of horses should be able to handle half their own weight on an ordinary firm road. In reality they haul more. It has been demonstrated that if a 3,000 lb. team can haul 2,500 lbs. on an ordinary country dirt road, they can pull three times as much on a macadam road. It is estimated that the average cost of hauling a ton one mile on an ordinary country road in good condition is 25 cents, while the average price of hauling one ton one mile on the railroads is three-fourths of one cent. Thus it costs 33 times as much to haul with team and wagon as it does with steam.

But let us get back to Alberta. Supposing a farmer brings in half a ton of grain in one load when the roads are bad. It will take him a whole day to make the trip if he lives 12 miles or more from market. Assuming that he and his team are worth \$5 per day, it costs him 50 cents per hundred to haul in his grain half a ton at a time. This does not include the cost of his meal in town or the keep of his team. An extra half dollar should be added for that. For less than 50 cents per hundred wheat can be shipped from Edmonton to Liverpool. It costs 25 cents per hundred from Edmonton to Fort William and 15 cents per hundred from Fort William to Montreal. The ocean freight rate varies from four cents upwards, so there is quite a margin to spare.

If the farmer can haul a ton at a time, it still costs him as much to bring in his grain 12 miles as it does to ship from Edmonton to Fort William. But he cannot haul a ton all the time. There are times when the roads are so heavy that a good team cannot draw much more than an empty wagon.

There are other considerations which enter into the estimate of cost, although they are not so tangible as those stated. How valuable coils are lost every year because the hearts of their dams are pulled out on heavy roads? How many good horses are crippled through having the life hauled out of them? Then we might figure in the added wear on wagons and harness due to heavy roads. These considerations cannot be put down in dollars and cents, but they are considerations just the same.

When the roads are good enough for one man to haul to market, they are good enough for all, and everybody hauls at the same time. The result is that the markets are glutted and prices are depressed. This is an invariable happening. If the roads were so that the farmers could haul to market any day in the year, better prices by far would be obtained. When the roads were bad following the recent rains potatoes went up to 75 cents a bushel. The farmers could not haul potatoes to market. So soon as the roads improved, everybody began to haul and down went the price of spuds. It was the same with other vegetables, and it is the same to a lesser degree with grain.

Tests show that a 3,000 pound team can easily handle four tons on a macadam road, and can move this load up a 10 per cent grade. In other words, the macadam road reduces the cost of hauling about 800 per cent, besides improving marketing conditions. In addition to that, the farmer can haul to market at his convenience. He is not obliged to wait until the roads are in good condition and perhaps sacrifice other important work which should be done at the same time.

But how can we build macadam roads when we have no material with which to build them? Who should build them, the municipality, the province, or both? These problems confront almost every agricultural district in North America. They are being met elsewhere and they will be met here in time. Perhaps we may have good road building material at hand in Alberta. The quicker we find out the better. The cities have quite as much interest in the road question as the country. The sooner they get together and work it out, the better for all concerned.

Saving Electricity.

Tungsten lamps are coming to the front because they save electricity. In appearance, their only difference from the ordinary carbon filament incandescent lamps is that the filament is constructed of tungsten instead of carbon. But in actual use, it has been proved that they only use about one-third as much current as a carbon lamp to produce a light of the same illuminating power. True, their first cost is greater (approximately three times as much), but this is counterbalanced by the saving in current effected. They have one weak point, however. That is the case with which the delicate tungsten filament is broken. On this account great care has to be exercised in installing them, and it is for this reason, too, that they cannot be economically used as portable lamps. Yet, when carefully handled, they have a long lease of life. In England, where they are used much more extensively than here, it is quite common for them to last 3,000 hours, and one instance is on record where a tungsten lamp burned continuously for over 15,000 hours. Even when allowance is made for more frequent breakage, the tungsten lamp shows a saving over the carbon of about fifty per cent. That is an economy not to be despised and points to the much greater use for stationary lighting purposes.

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In the matter of the estate of Matthew Russell late of Bentley in the Province of Alberta, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim or demands against the late Matthew Russell who died on or about the 13th day of May, 1910, at Lacombe in the Province of Alberta, are required on or before the 8th day of November, 1910, to send by post prepaid to The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited, at Calgary in the Province of Alberta, Administrator of the estate of the said Matthew Russell or to deliver to the undersigned solicitor for the said Company their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims in writing and a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them and such statement shall be verified by Statutory Declaration of the claimant or his agent.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 8th day of November, 1910, the said The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice, and that the said The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited, will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim it shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Calgary, this 19th day of September, 1910.

The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited.

A. G. ROSS,
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A. M. MACDONALD,
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I have listed for sale a number of properties, among which are:

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Telegraph Rates.

The decision of the Railway Commission on Saturday last at Winnipeg, with reference to telegraph rates is one of great public importance. The representatives of the telegraph companies who appeared before the Commission assumed the typical corporation attitude. The notorious and flagrant discrimination in rates between eastern and western points of equal distance was lightly ignored. They took the position that, no matter what the rates in the East were, the rates in the West were, in themselves, reasonable, and they asked that the effort of demonstrating that the western rates were excessive should be put upon the petitioners—who were in this case the Winnipeg Board of Trade and the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. Had the Commission been induced by their arguments to take this position, the telegraph rates in the West would have escaped any serious inquiry, because no association has the means or the power to carry on such an investigation. The extent to which, if they undertook such an examination, they could rely upon the co-operation of the companies was indicated on Saturday by the position taken by the representative of one of the telegraph companies, who calmly told the Railway Commission that the comparative statement of revenue and outlay at the Winnipeg office was a private matter which did not concern the public.

Judge Mabey's decision is that the whole matter of telegraph rates will have to be inquired into, under the provision in the Act which permits the Minister of Justice to appoint counsel to represent the public. The investigation as outlined by the Chief Commissioner will be very sweeping, including the capitalization of the telegraph companies, the cost of operation, and all the factors which should determine the fixing of rates. The inquiry, if carried out thoroughly, will be a formidable one, and it is certain to have important consequences. It is not possible to believe that the outrageous discrimination that exists between eastern and western rates can survive any such inquiry.

The president set in the matter of the express and telephone rates the time when the Railway Commission, despite the magnitude of the task, will be obliged to institute an independent examination of railway rates, to determine whether they are reasonable or not. Up to date the railways have succeeded in putting the onus of demonstrating that a rate is excessive upon the petitioner. The pressure of circumstances is certain, however, to bring about a change in method. When the time comes that the railways will have to come out in the open and defend their rates, it will be shown that, on certain western sections, the freight rates of the transcontinental lines, in contrast with the rates for equal distances in the East, constitute a discrimination as excessive and as indefensible as the discrimination in the telegraph rates, upon which the Railway Commission is about to take action.

American Men vs. Englishmen.

Throw an American out of the window and he will land upon his feet; his hands doing something. Throw an Englishman out of the window and he will land on his hands, his mouth affirming things. Put both into a howling wilderness, and the American will have a city staked out while the Englishman is cleaning the mud off his boots. Put both into a complex maze, and the Briton will be running the new cosmos while the American will be looking for the wire to introduce his telephone. The American's passion is for industry; the Englishman's for dominance; the American is an engineer, the Englishman a conqueror.

This passion for controlling things rather than doing them, touches every part of the Englishman's life. It is his opinion first, and something else next, that differentiates him from the American. We are orthodox in a negligible sort of way; but we are heterodox in a negligible sort of a way, also. With us an opinion is nothing to make a fuss over. As yet we are really an unopinionated people. Carl S. Hanson, in Smart Set.

The New Penology.

Criminologists from the ends of the earth are gathering in the United States for the International Prison Congress which meets in Washington early in October. The science of penology, nonexistent in the days of John Howard and Elizabeth Fry, has made great strides in the last few years, but it has brought to light more problems than it has solved. These problems have been created by a variety of forces, such as the humanitarian aspect of Christianity, the study of psychology, the increase in the power of trades unions, and the growing complexity of modern life, and an effort to find adequate solutions will form the chief business of the Congress. Interest in prison reform is by no means confined to nations in the forefront of civilization's march. The movement is world-wide, and even China has sent delegates, who have already been telling of up-to-date penal institutions in their native land.

The movement for prison reform is not based on a spasmodic humanitarian impulse. It goes far deeper and represents a change in the theory of punishment. Not so many years ago, punishment was regarded as retributive. The State wreaked vengeance on the criminal. That idea has been abandoned. Revenge is beneath the dignity of the State. Moreover, it is unreasoning and the punishment it suggests is unscientific, often unjust, and usually unprofitable. The recognized view now is the protection of society and the reformation of the criminal. Incidentally there is the deterrent effect on others who may be tempted to follow criminal paths. But though revenge is no longer the object sought, some of the old methods still persist, and it is these that the reformers are hoping to clear away.

Since the protection of society is the principal aim in view, it is not logical to keep a man in prison after he has demonstrated his fitness for freedom. Nor is it logical to set him at liberty while he is still inclined to prey on his fellow-men. As it is impossible to know beforehand how many months or years the process of reformation will require, it is not in the best interests of the individual or of society to sentence a man to any definite period in prison. The State is no longer concerned with the amount of a man's guilt. It is concerned only with his reformation. This is the theory on which the indeterminate sentence is based. The criminal is allowed to sentence himself. He can make his term short or long. Penologists of the new school are almost without exception in favor of the indeterminate sentence. They look upon crime as a symptom of disease, and as the treatment of symptoms is generally regarded as useless, they are opposed to punishment as punishment. Their aim is to quarantine the criminal, get at the root of his trouble, and cure him, if possible. If the treatment succeeds the State is doubly benefited. It gets a good citizen and it loses a bad one. As to the methods of treatment there are widespread differences, and details will be thrashed over at the Congress.

Growing out of the indeterminate sentence or closely allied to it are other problems which will come in for more or less discussion. In this connection one may mention the probation system, which gives advice and support instead of punishment; the parole system which holds out hope; the payment of prisoners, which increases self-respect; prison farms as opposed to prison shops, a subject receiving much attention in Canada at present; prison sanitation, the treatment of delinquents, juvenile courts. These and other topics will be treated of by experts. Views will be exchanged and experiments described. As the delegates are men of weight in their respective countries, the Congress can scarcely fail to have an important and far-reaching influence.

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What We Earn.

Ask most men what they mean by "earn" and they will first be irritated at being asked to define such a common, simple word. But they will end by giving it up.

A generation ago, perhaps ten years ago, a definition would have come easier. Probably it would have taken some such form as this: A man earns what he can get without breaking the law. But this conception is no longer satisfactory. We are beginning to see that the question of earning has its roots deep in the soil of our social life. It is not a problem of economics, as economists have been understood to be. It is a question of sociology.

It is interesting to note the significant passage of Mr. Roosevelt's Ocasional address that refers to the acquisition of great fortunes. He said: "We grudge no man a fortune which represents his own power and sagacity, when exercised with entire regard to the welfare of his fellows. But the fortune must be honestly obtained and well used. It is not even enough that it should have been gained without damage to the community. We should permit it to be gained only so long as the gaining represents benefit to the community. No man should receive a dollar unless that dollar has been fairly earned. Every dollar received should represent a dollar's worth of service rendered."

We are beginning to realize now-a-days the narrowness of the old theory that one earns what ever one can get under the law, under the rules of the game. We know now that many of us, quite honestly and lawfully, get more than we earn, the difference being that part of our acquisition we are enabled to make because of the co-operation of our fellows, because of that quality called the community or society. And for this surplusage we owe a return in the form of social and civic service at the least.

Centennial Celebration Proposed.

Throughout the United States the proposal to celebrate a hundred years of peace between that nation and Great Britain and Canada is being very favorably received. Dr. James L. Tryon, assistant secretary of the American Peace Society has been in receipt of scores of letters from many of the eminent men of the United States, men in all walks of life and leaders in thought and these writers all greet the proposal with enthusiasm.

In December, 1914, it will be one hundred years since the Treaty of Ghent was signed which followed the war of 1812. For a hundred years the United States and Canada have lived together in peace on this continent with over three thousand miles of unarmored frontier. That fact alone is unique in history. But it proves many things. It proves that two Christian peoples may live in peace under an agreement to do so and to submit their differences to arbitration. Also it proves arbitration is an effective substitute for gunpowder. Under the treaty of Ghent it has not been necessary for either nation to arm itself as a "guarantee of peace." On the contrary it expressly forbids either nation to arm its frontier. This of course must have been an inconvenience to the warlike spirits of both nations who must have during the past 98 years, frequently chafed under a disability which prevented them from practicing their favorite pastime of building forts and training their fellow men in the art of wholesale slaughter.

When a nation arms itself it is just as liable to run amok as an individual who carries a revolver. History can furnish any number of instances where if nations had not been prepared for war peace would have prevailed. There is only one guarantee of the world's peace and that is arbitration and disarmament. The celebration of the centenary of peace between the United States and Britain will go a long way towards educating the world not only to the desirability of peace but to an effective method of preserving it.

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Forest Fires—A National Menace.

During the past summer forest fires have been devouring the growth of centuries with ruthless rapacity. Northern Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia have suffered most. Fine tracts of merchantable timber worth millions of dollars, have been destroyed, square mile upon square mile of young growth coming on to supply the demands of the future has been wiped out of existence. In Northern Ontario, where, but a thin layer of vegetable mould covers the rocks, the soft, coniferous forest floor, the only hope of vegetation and equitable stream flow has been completely destroyed, leaving a cheerless rocky waste for generations to come. Even if no thought be given to the number of lives lost, it must be admitted that the loss occasioned this year by forest fire has been nothing short of appalling.

Can nothing be done, then, to prevent this loss? The answer is that much can be done. The solution of the problem is indicated in two words—public sentiment. The two principal causes of forest fires are campfires and railways, and public opinion must be brought to bear upon these. The tourist-camper does not at all realize the extent of the damage which his unextinguished camp fire may do. Lays against leaving camp fires burning are already on the statute books, but it is quite evident that their observance rests mainly with the tourist himself. He must be impressed with the very serious nature of his offence. If a man sets fire to a building, he is convicted of arson and sent to prison as a felon, but if his unextinguished camp fire burns down millions of dollars worth of timber and perhaps destroys human life as well, he is, at best, made to pay a small fine. When public opinion views this carelessness of the camper as a criminal act and frowns upon him accordingly, considerable progress will have been made in lessening the number of forest fires from this cause.

Every Canadian is deeply interested in the protection of our forests; for each forest fire means that he and his children will have to pay higher prices for every foot of lumber they use. Such a measure for the preservation of our forests, as that recommended by the Committee on Forests of the Commission of Conservation should, therefore, commend itself to every public-spirited citizen and newspaper in Canada.

We in Western Canada are not so well acquainted with the Canadian Manufacturer's Association, as they are in the east. As yet, manufacturing is not one of the big things out west, consequently this trip of the manufacturers from Eastern Canada ought to be productive of good in more ways than one. It should show these big men that there is a big country with big possibilities for their manufacturing concerns, and it should also make them realize the strong feeling there is in Western Canada for freer trade than at present.

The first annual exhibition in Grande Prairie will be held at Grande Prairie City on Sept. 29th and 30th. A very creditable prize list has been arranged, and there promises to be a large list of entries. The holding of this fair is just another evidence of the rapidity with which this last great West is settling up.

Judge Mabey of the railway commission is adding further to his laurels. He will tolerate no hole and corner business. "My dear man," he said to a witness on Saturday at Winnipeg, at the enquiry on telegraph rates, "there are no companies doing business under a measure of government control and supervision, which can have anything in their business of any kind of a confidential nature. If the commissioners cannot examine documents in public we will not examine them behind a screen. That matter was settled permanently so far as this body is concerned in the case of express rates. The express company sought to have the press excluded. We decided that the press should not be excluded and that all the investigation should be made in public."

Notice appears in the Canada Gazette that a general competitive examination for cadets for naval service of Canada will be held on November 9th at various points in Canada, including Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton, Nelson, Vancouver and Victoria.

The international court of arbitration at the Hague which is to hear the claim case of the Jrino-on Steamship Company in the dispute between the United States and Venezuela, held its first session last Wednesday. The pleading will begin on Oct. 6th. Dr. Heinrich Lammasch, of Austria, the president of the court, in an opening address paid a tribute to the impartiality of the judges in the Newfoundland fisheries case between the United States and Great Britain, and said they had succeeded in subjecting national prejudices to judicial consciences.

An old man held a place of power, and in his proud exultant hour, when clothed with prestige of a czar, the statesman-czar, from near and far, and bowed in most effusive style, and fawned and cringed to gain his smile. They flocked and carried at his nod, they knelt beneath his chattering rod. And time rolled on, and it was plain that ended was the old man's reign; rude hands reached out to his crown, and threw his rusty sceptre down; he was divorced from great affairs, and hustled down the palace stairs. And those who used to cringe and smirk at once got in their dirty work; theirs were the fiercest, hardest kicks, they throw the large and ugly bricks, exulted in an old man's grief, and turned to hail some new made chief. In any other human game, men will retain a sense of shame, insist on fair and decent play, and chase the crooked sport away; but when in politics they mix, they will not balk at shady tricks, or deeds ungrateful, mean and base, if they will help to win the race.—Walt Mason.

It is announced that the law respecting the admission of immigrants from Europe to Canada will be changed. Just recently the opinions of papers and periodicals were asked to the promise of demanding that an immigrant have \$25 of money on his person upon arrival in Canada. The comments of the editors were representative of the wide difference of opinion that exists upon every question when weighted in the light of expediency rather than of justice. This paper said the demand was unfair, and we are glad to know some more equitable standard will be used.

The temperance people are preparing for a big local option contest in Alberta next year. Our suggestion is that emphasis be laid upon the expensiveness of the liquor traffic in dollars and cents. There is little use in trying to make a man believe that because he consumes a little booze he is a less fit citizen than his non-indulging neighbor who nags his hired man or wife. But when a man is shown what a hole alcohol burns in his pocket he is likely to conclude to use it only for fuel purposes.



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Of General Interest

Lord Beaconsfield is less seldom remembered as a statesman than as an author, and his fame rests on pretty slender material. He was fond of making epigrams and one of two are still remembered. Probably the best known is where he said "The unexpected always happens." This is often quoted as if it were always so, that it was a truism, but we think not. The unexpected certainly happens sometimes. A case in point appears in an English paper. A poor, old, meanly dressed man who asked out an existence in doing little odd jobs, and begging, has just died and it is now discovered that he owns stocks and shares worth 10,000 dollars. From this he directs that 250 dollars be paid to two men who lived near him—because they always bade him good morning when they met him. Only that and nothing more. Just a kindly word in passing that cost nothing and these two men are 250 dollars the richer. The kindly greeting had won the gratitude of the old miser, despised and avoided by everyone else. We do not cultivate the art of being pleasant as much as we ought—it costs nothing and helps to make things smoother for everybody. As for me, I am going to cultivate the art of politeness till I am a second Lord Chesterfield—and especially to shabby looking old fellows that look mean. I may run up against a rich miser one of these days.

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The statistics published lately of the coal production of the world bring out some very interesting points. The total amount mined in the year was 900,000,000. Belgium and France are not of much account as the bulk of the production is in the United States and Britain. The old land had a record year last year, producing 254,000,000 tons as against 290,000,000 from the States, with all its enormous area of coal fields, so many of them but newly tapped, with all their vast railways, and steel plants unlimited. Taking it on the basis of population Britain produces 6 tons per head while the States produces but 4. Truly a great little country.

Some nice stories are going the rounds about the Korean people, whose country has lately been annexed by Japan. One of them that looks good to us in regard to the customs of Korean married women. It is said that for the first week of her married life nothing can induce her to speak one word though the custom is to try them with every device. This is good as far as it goes but if they could only keep it up, the price of Koreans in the matrimonial market would rank high.

Sir Wilfrid Lawson, the great temperance advocate, now deceased, has left his mantle of humor to his son and namesake. At a country flower show in England Lord Leonsfield, who opened the show, confessed he hardly knew a rose from a geranium. Sir Wilfrid Lawson, in proposing a vote of thanks to his Lordship, said that confession reminded him of the old lady who said she only knew the names of two flowers—the Aurora Borealis and Delirium Tremens.

Canada seems to be the "Bogey Man" to some of our good cousins across the line. Not content with draining the States of her best farmers she has now almost completed a scheme to burst up the packing business there and transfer it also to Canada. At least so the "Farmers & Drovers' Journal" of Chicago says. According to this paper a line of abattoirs have already been built to stretch across the country and the tariff on cattle crossing the line is to be removed so that all the cattle of the Western States will be absorbed in Canada with corresponding loss and ultimate ruin to Armour, Leiter, and the rest of the meat magnates. Strange that Sir Wilfrid did not give this information to the delegates of the U. F. A. who were bombarding him with reason why the Government should establish a chilled meat plant to help the cattle industry of the west. He may be keeping it as a pleasant surprise for the opening of Parliament.

The following cutting from an Eastern paper shows the kind of advertisement that Western Canada is getting from Americans who come to spy out the land. "A large party of American farmers from Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska who have been spying out the land in Northern Saskatchewan arrived in Winnipeg a few days ago. Without exception the visitors are men of means who were brought out by one of the big land companies and they spent several days looking over lands and inspecting the farms of American settlers in the district which they visited. That they were well satisfied with what they saw and that a large majority will return next spring to take up land is the report given by several members of the party. They report that they found crops good and the farmers they visited thoroughly satisfied with the new country." So say we all of us and no wonder the emigration bureau of the U. S. is feeling despondent. It takes a lot of argument to get over these reports from satisfied settlers.

Lame back is one of the most common forms of muscular rheumatism. A few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment will give relief. For sale by all Dealers.

A federal grand jury in Chicago has indicted several of the prominent Chicago packers who are charged with having formed a trust in meat, and a United States commissioner in Missouri has reported that the International Harvester company is a trust. Evidently they are going to have elections this fall in Illinois and Missouri. Next thing we know some state political worker will discover that our old friend John D. Rockefeller, of Standard Oil, needs to have his wicks trimmed in campaign style. And the people stand for this horse play year after year. Surely the late P. T. Barnum spoke the truth when he declared that the public liked to be humbugged.

WANTED—Party to live in furnished cottage at Gull Lake and do work of cleaning land and cutting wood.—Apply O. O. McLaurin, Calgary.

Pouring oil on the troubled waters will be much more than a metaphor if a plan offered by the United States hydrographic office is carried out. Its serious proposal is to keep the patch between New York and the northern European ports well oiled, so that the waves may be kept down and passengers may cross in perfect comfort. The hydrographic office knows a lot about waves and claims that oil is so bad for them as nothing. Moreover oil spreads quickly and thinly over the water, and hence the calming can be done at small expense. A quart of cheap petroleum an hour for each ship would, they say, do the work in decent weather, and \$25 per trip ought to cover it easily. With the big liners constantly passing, the part carried away by the ocean currents would be restored without delay.—Wide World Magazine.

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By the death of Lieutenant-Governor Fraser, of Nova Scotia, that Province loses one of the many big men whom it has contributed to Canadian public life. Duncan Cameron Fraser was a big man in every way, who by his character and ability made himself a leading figure in his native Nova Scotia, and afterwards in the Dominion House. The late Mr. Fraser was a man of extraordinary power and effectiveness as a platform speaker; curiously enough he never became as effective a speaker in Parliament as might have been expected from his great mental ability and his great success as a platform speaker. He was a many-sided man, whose qualities of sterling gentleness won him the respect and esteem of his fellow-citizens.

You are not experimenting when you take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a cold as that preparation has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds, and can always be depended upon. It is equally valuable for adults and children and may be given to young children with implicit confidence as it contains no harmful drug. Sold by all Dealers.

Nearly 1,000 persons have died of Asiatic cholera in Naples since the scourge appeared there a month ago.

Alberta has had its characteristic annual weather. Rains in August and September are about as unusual as droughts in June.

The trial of Dr. Crippen and Ethel Clara Le Neve for the murder of the former's wife, is proceeding in London. The trailing of the two prisoners from Liverpool to Quebec was one of the most sensational on record, and the crime being an unusually well-planned one attention to the proceedings is almost universal.

If anyone thinks the price of fruit too high, he should bring the matter before his local Farmers' Association or Grain Growers' Association. It is generally admitted that express rates are abominably high considering the service given and the capital invested in the equipment.

There is in full swing.

Thousands of men have come from the east to help of with the harvest, yet we find able-bodied men complaining that they cannot get work. It is something of a problem for the state or municipality to know what to do with this class of people.

General Botha, in a speech at Johannesburg said that the best defence force in the world could be formed in South Africa, and asked the co-operation of the British in forming such a force. He suggested General Methuen as organizer, and, if another was wanted, his old war friend, Lord Kitchener.

Less than \$600 will cover the deficit of the Edmonton Exhibition of 1910, the first to be held on the new grounds. Manager Harrison made this estimate in a preliminary report presented to the directors of the Exhibition Association at their semi-monthly meeting held last night.

The plaintiffs in the action against the Red Deer Exhibition Association for an injunction to restrain the directors from disposing of the ground, gained the costs of the day against the Association being not ready to proceed when the case came up, they say. Owing to the financial position of the Association, no fair will be held at Red Deer this year.—Red Deer Advocate.

A bulletin of the census and statistics office, issued at Ottawa last week says that the reports on field crops at the end of August were more certain than at the end of July, and that the situation during the month has improved. The estimate of wheat, oats and barley is 445,520,000 bushels, which is 129,188,000 bushels less than the final estimate for last year. Spring wheat is less by 45,008,000 bushels; oats by 70,219,000 bushels; and barley by 16,010,000 bushels, but fall wheat shows an increase of 1,649,000.

Don't trifle with a cold is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in case of a child. There is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds in children. It is safe and sure. For sale by all Dealers.

British Columbia's fire fighting bill for the month of August, apart from the salary list of the regular wardens, totals over \$30,000. The special fire fighters employed during that month, according to the report just received, was 3,238 and with the regular staff bring the total to 3,572. Three hundred and twenty-five fires destroyed over one million feet of standing timber and sixty-seven thousand feet of logs.

A Good Position.

Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph Institute operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of R. R. and Wireless Officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details at Davenport, Ia.; Cincinnati, O.; Portland, Ore.; or Memphis, Tenn.

"THE MANXMAN."

The New Opera House One Night October 11th.

"The Manxman," the season's greatest success and Hall Caine's most powerful play, will be seen presented by that popular young star, Mr. Frederick Clarke, and a company of artists who have been specially chosen for the roles they are to portray.

"The Manxman" is a wonderfully impressive and highly delightful play, typical of the previous work of the master play-builder who conceived it. It bares the heart and reaches far down into the soul of the beholder. It teaches a grand and powerful lesson in the most impressive manner, all the while clinging close to the thread of possibility and probability. Caine never stoops to impossible things to enhance the intensity of a scene, but strikes straight from the shoulder at the mark, and invariably scores his point. Human emotions are played upon in the Manxman to a vast degree, but the whole construction of the piece tends towards a beautiful simplicity.

A strong cast will accompany Mr. Clarke upon his present tour and a beautiful scenic production will be carried complete.

Thanksgiving and Halloween is Same Date.

There is rejoicing among the feathered population of the farms and poultry yards in our district this year. This is because Thanksgiving Day, for the celebration of which many a fatted gobbler, goose and chicken has met an untimely death, falls on Monday, Oct. 31. By a peculiar coincidence this date is also Halloween or a fast day. Members of the Roman Catholic Church observe this fast day, and many a turkey will be saved from the headman's block as a consequence.

The fat-laden fowl may be cheaper. People will not have to delve so far down into their wallets for the purchase of the necessary asset to complete the Thanksgiving festivities.

The federal government fixes the date of Thanksgiving day, and it may be that the fact that the date fixed upon was Halloween was overlooked.

The defeat of the South African Premier, as an incident in the general elections, which have resulted successfully for his Government, recalls the defeat which Sir John A. Macdonald suffered in Kingston in the general elections of 1878, which swept his party into power and meant his accession to the Premiership of the Dominion, which he held from October 17, 1878, until his death on June 11, 1891. He was thus Premier continuously for twelve years and eight months. He had previously been Premier from July 1, 1867, until November 7, 1878. He was thus Premier for nineteen years in all. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who became Premier on July 11, 1896, is now in the fifteenth year of his Premiership. Premier Botha's defeat in East Pretoria was due to the fact that his opponent is a man of formidable popularity and eloquence, Sir Percy Fitzpatrick, whom Premier Botha opposed because there was no hope of any other opponent having any chance at all against him.

The Nova Scotia government announces that having secured railroad accommodation for every section of the Province it now intends to devote its energies and revenue to the betterment of the roads throughout the Province, with a view to making them the best in Canada. In Ontario the provincial government, the city of Toronto and the county of York are proposing by joint action to spend \$300,000 in the improvement of the roads around Toronto. In Manitoba, which needs good roads as greatly as any province in the Dominion there is from time to time much talk about good roads; but nothing on a large scale is ever done excepting immediately before elections when a hundred thousand dollars or more are wasted in "road work" in doubtful districts. The main travelled highways within twenty miles of Winnipeg are, at certain seasons of the year, about the worst in the world; and it is a reflection on the public spirit of the community that this should be so.—Manitoba Free Press

World's Wheat Crop Short.

While this year's world's acreage sown to wheat was doubtless the largest in history—335,000,000 acres—it is not unlikely according to United States department of agriculture experts that the world yield of wheat will be short of the high record of last year—3,824,000,000 bushels—yet the crop is reasonably certain to go down in history as quantitatively above the average. In a review of the foreign crops the Crop Reporter of the department today says:

"The world's wheat harvest which at the opening of 1910 was progressing southward in Argentina and Australia began north of the equator in February. Starting in British India, the operations gradually expanded over the magnificent wheat areas of the northern hemisphere, until they are now completed, except on small surfaces in the more easterly limits of its culture. The total acreage was 335,000,000 acres, having been heavily increased this year by additional sowing of spring wheat in Russia and Canada. Up to July, when a fair crop had already been garnered in Argentina and an excellent one in British India, the prospects were for a world crop heavier than any preceding one, but drought that month in the spring wheat belts of North America and Russia and an unprecedented wet, cool summer in France are believed to have resulted in serious losses.

"On the continent of Europe, harvests, though on the whole good, have apparently not realized the expected abundance. Threats of frost are pretty generally causing downward revisions of pre-harvest estimates; even in the countries where anticipated quantity is materializing complaints are numerous of deficient quality resulting from lodged grain and storm delayed harvests. The situation in France, so unsatisfactory a month ago, shows little if any improvement. In Italy and Rumania actual threatening results seem to be modifying, to some extent the bounteous aspect of the fields, before harvest. The formerly excellent prospects in Germany and Austria-Hungary have not been fully maintained; and the Russian crop, though quantitatively much in doubt, is known to have suffered seriously in quality in many localities from the oriental rains during harvest. In contrast to less optimistic opinion respecting the European crop however, may be noted a decided veering away from the extreme pessimism at one time prevailing respecting the spring wheat crop of western Canada."

Having conquered yellow fever and demonstrated the value of open air and sunlight in the treatment of tuberculosis, government doctors of the States are now working on the last stretch of the road leading to successful fights against cancer and leprosy, two diseases that have been counted incurable since the beginning of civilization, by all peoples in all times. The credit for the victory over yellow fever belongs to the army doctors. Cancer seems in a fair way to be conquered by two doctors in the Philippine government service. The success had by Drs. Moses T. Clegg, Donald H. Currie, Walter R. Brinkerton and H. T. Holman of the Marine hospital service points to a great achievement in the treatment and cure of leprosy.

Queen Alexandra has commissioned Sir Francis Tosti, the well known composer of many famous songs, to write for her the music of a new song which is her desire become a sort of secondary national anthem. Its title is to be "God Save Queen Alexandra." This move on the part of the late King Edward's consort is as yet only known to a few, but is calculated to make a great sensation when the news becomes public. It is an interesting addition to what may be termed the psychology of Queen Alexandra's case. The public already is aware of Her Majesty's reluctance to sink into the relative obscurity of Queen Dowager or Queen Mother, which title, indeed, is abhorrent to her. Queen Alexandra took early opportunity to signify her disapproval of the title and had herself always described in the court gazette as Queen Alexandra.

Something about Airedale Terriers!

During the last few years the growth in the popularity of the Airedales has been something remarkable. This is owing, perhaps, to their striking qualities and varied qualifications which enable them to be put to so many uses, and adapt themselves so well to their surroundings.

In the field their accomplishments are legion. They are equally as good retrieving dogs from the cold waters of the western lakes as hunting partridges and chicken in the timber or on the prairie.

In the mountains they are used extensively on bear and lynx, and have proved themselves a determined terror and desperate scrapper.

Recently an interesting experiment was tried in Glasgow, Scotland, where several breeds of dogs were trained for detective work in that city. The remarkable feature of the experiment was this: That the only dog that stood the test and came up to the expectations of the police was the Airedale, the cause of the success being attributed to their great sense of scent and wonderful intelligence which enabled them to be trained to the highest point of perfection.

Airedales have already been used as thief catchers in Paris, Berlin, Vienna and New York.

A book number of Outdoor Life says: The uses to which the Airedale is put are many and varied, and he seems to fit in and qualify for almost anything for which a dog can be used. His principal characteristics may be said to be:

Evenness of temper, kindness of disposition, love of sport of any kind, attachment to one master, and physical qualifications which adapt him for the roughest sort of work so that he is equally at home retrieving ducks from a frozen marsh, making his bed in the snow bank, or running with the hounds on a cold trail from daylight till dark. The Canadian Military Gazette reports Airedales having been brought to train for Canadian Field Hospital work, a number being now in use in the German and Turkish armies where they have given entire satisfaction.

It is also stated by the Outlook Magazine that a number of this breed have been shipped to the Canal Zone, (Panama), for the purpose of hunting the wild animals of that region, principally wild dogs and tigers. The climate of that country is so hard on dogs that the Airedale with its wonderful constitution is expected to be the most suitable.

The above cut is of Loper Lacombe, A.K.A. 140943, at 8 months of age, retrieving a duck from Crescent Lake. Loper Lacombe, commonly known as Loper, is the property of E. R. Shilleto. Mr. Shilleto has gone extensively into the breeding of Airedales and has produced some of the best stock on the continent. He has at present a number of exceptionally good puppies for sale. For prices call or write.

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Of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Strathy have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Collier for the past few days.

For beds, springs, mattresses, pillows, and blankets, go to the Lacombe Furniture Store.

Riley may not attribute his defeat to the fact—but we notice that Mr. H. Thornton Bolt, late of Tyneside, England, was stumping for him.

Mrs. A. M. MacDonald will receive for the first time since her marriage on Friday, October 14th.

Mrs. W. F. Graham will receive on the second Friday of October, and thereafter on the first Friday of each month.

Tregillus was bad enough; but when H. Thornton Bolt, late of Tyneside, took the stump, Riley's name was Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Ross, of Central, left today for Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Ross will undergo an operation at the Mayo Bros. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Smith returned on Monday night from an extended holiday trip to New York, Montreal and other eastern cities.

The Electric Light Extension bylaw was carried almost unanimously on Friday last, there being only three votes registered against it.

Rev. K. O. McLeod, of Camrose, conducted the services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

New shipments of carpets just arrived at the Lacombe Furniture Store.

Raymond wants to frame your pictures, he understands the work.

New car furniture just put into stock at the Lacombe Furniture Store. We have everything that takes to furnish your house comfortably, and at reasonable prices.

A large number of town citizens left today for Edmonton to hear Madame Melba, in the Thistle rink tonight.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bosworth of Wetaskiwin, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Browne last week.

Saturday being the opening day of chicken and partridge shooting, many too, the advantage of it, and returned with some fat bags.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Graham is Mrs. Graham's sister, Mrs. E. M. Williams, of Russell, Man., and Mr. Graham's mother, Mrs. W. J. Graham.

S. M. Stagle's sale, which took place yesterday, was largely attended and proved successful. With the exception of a few articles everything sold well.

Girl Wanted—A girl going to school wanted to do work in comfortable home for board. Apply to Mrs. E. W. Goldring.

The new theatre will be finished in due time for the production of "The Manxman" on Tuesday evening next. Even the stage paraphernalia will not be too late for the opening, though it is thought that temporary seats will have to be used for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kent left on Monday evening for Kansas City and Beason, Ill., to visit relatives there. Mr. Kent will be away a few weeks, while Mrs. Kent will remain over the winter.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the home of Mrs. Puffer on Friday, Oct. 7th, at three o'clock. The educational half hour will be taken by Mrs. Reeves, subject "A Trip to Denmark." All members and non-members are most cordially invited to be present.

That Lacombe possesses some of the finest Barred Plymouth Rocks in the Province was proven at the Fall Fair on Friday. The pens exhibited by Mr. John Ross showed some of the best imported blood from the United States. At the Fair he was offered \$10.00 for a cockerel but refused, the offer being made by Mr. Foley, who well knows the Barred Rock. "Old John" breeds the famous "Ringlet" strain, and the other day received two of the finest specimens of that breed direct from the Thompson farm. His matings for spring will be good, so look up Mr. Ross' ad. for the best that is bred.

An up-to-date bowling alley has been added to the Athletic Club Store's amusement equipment. It is now open to the public, and all interested in the game of bowls are invited to call in and inspect.

Mr. H. E. Schorrer and family, from Nebraska City, Neb., are visiting with his brother, J. M. Schorrer.

The friends of Miss Vena Schorrer, a nurse in the Calgary General Hospital, will be sorry to learn that she is ill with typhoid fever in that institution.

The Rev. S. Webster, of Alberta College, Edmonton, who preached so acceptably in the Methodist church on Sunday a few months ago, will occupy the pulpit on Sunday, Oct. 9th, at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bowen returned from Edmonton Saturday evening where they had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Tycoe.

The sheep worrying case, Puffer v. Wilson, came up before the local J. P.'s on Monday night, and resulted in the case being decided against Wilson. He was ordered to destroy the offending animals within three days, or pay a heavy fine.

Wanted—A good general servant. Apply mornings. Mrs. F. L. Smith.

Mrs. Belcher will receive for the first time since her marriage on Thursday, October thirteenth.

The question of which is the most convenient sized and salable envelope—manufactured came up for discussion at a recent meeting of the Stationers' Association. In Lacombe a large, fat-sized paper envelope is quite popular and very much in demand.

Don't forget John Shirley's big Auction Sale tomorrow, (Thursday 6th). A large quantity of high class farm stock and implements to be sold without reserve. C. F. Dameron, Auctioneer.

Const. Thorne, who has had charge of the R.N.W.M.P. detachment here for some months, has been removed to Edison. Const. Thorne, while located at this point has done a lot of good work, and his many friends will bear with regret of his transfer.

Sergt. Ensor has been placed in charge of the Lacombe detachment R.N.W.M.P. and entered upon his duties on Monday. Sergt. Ensor is considered one of the best men on the force, and is no stranger here. He will have an assistant as the work in this large district is considered rather heavy for one man.

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The explosion at Red Deer of a coal oil store on last Friday morning in Dr. Plaxton's dental parlors caused a fire which threatened the destruction of the Smith

and Gaetz Block, the largest in Red Deer. The windows were blown out and the fire got in the roof before it was reached by the brigade. Dr. Plaxton's loss will be \$800, uninsured, owing to the policy expiring through change of local agents. Smith & Gaetz's loss will be slight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will be held on Thursday (tomorrow) afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Parsonage.

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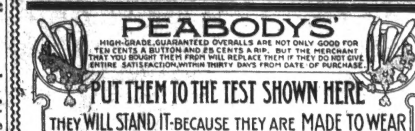
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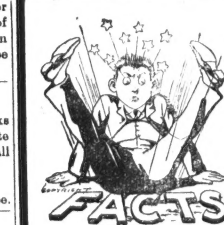
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Ladies' Patent Button Shoe—This shoe is made in stylish shape with cloth top, and presents a very stylish appearance. Price **\$5.00**

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Persian Lamb Stole and Muff, made of bright, glossy, solid whole skins. This fur, as is well known, is one of the most durable to be had and gives excellent satisfaction. Muff **\$20.00** Stole **\$25.00**

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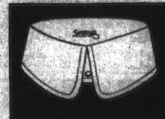
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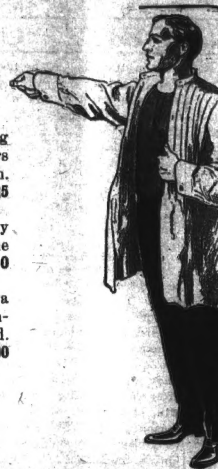
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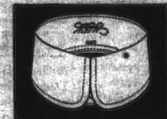
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Men's Blue Flannel Shirts a good roomy shirt made in blue only, every shirt guaranteed not to rip, sizes 15 to 17. Price **1.60**

Light Flannel Shirts, made especially for big men, no collar. These shirts come in light shades only with fancy stripes, sizes 15 to 18. Price **1.75**

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E. H. RILEY GETS HIS IN GLEICHEN.

The Intelligent Electors Fail to Be Misled by His Grand Stand Play.

Well, the Gleichen election is over, and E. H. Riley is still "elected." The result of this election was a foregone conclusion, as most of us have discovered years ago, that once the public gets on to a grand stand play it is only a matter of time until said G. S. player hits the solid earth with a dull, sickening thud. Riley is, and always was a grand stand player. In the legislative hall he continually catered to "applause from the gallery." He resigned his seat in the Legislature as a protest against an act which he himself had been a party to. Other, and wiser men than Riley, would have remained in the Legislature and helped to straighten the tangle out. But Ezra saw a chance for a grand stand play—a sure thing as he thought—and took a leap in the dark. As was to be expected, he landed on his neck. Pride goeth before a fall.

An Elaborate Production.

When William Yule and Violet Eddy and their supporting company of Shakespearean players appear here Oct. 18 in aid of the Lacombe Hospital, in the ideal comedy "Twelfth Night," theatre-goers will see probably the most elaborate and complete scenic production ever handled on the local stage. Manager C. P. Walker has furnished with a lavish hand an equipment sufficient to supply five acts, divided into sixteen scenes. Every inch of scenery, every piece of furniture, every platform and stage brace is carried by the company, together with special lighting effects. The scenery has been built especially for this territory and can be readily adjusted to any stage. Manager Walker is particular in his instructions to his stage carpenters and insists that the scenery be used in each and every town.

The Rimby Shooting.

McGregor, the man charged with shooting Sammon a week or two ago, came up for trial at Rimby on Thursday last before Justices Pinso and Iddings. After several witnesses had been examined the case was dismissed, as it was shown that McGregor acted in self defence. From the evidence it appears that on the morning of the shooting the two men had a few words, and Sammon losing his temper made for McGregor with a hammer. McGregor shot two or three shots into the ground to scare Sammon, but as that man kept coming on he shot him in the leg. All the witnesses testified that McGregor was a peaceably inclined man and a good neighbor. A. M. Macdonald conducted the defence.

Will Sit in Lacombe.

The Fisheries Commission, appointed to investigate and report on the fisheries of Alberta, will hold a session in Lacombe on Tuesday, Oct. 11th in the town hall. The commission desires to meet all parties posted on the fishing industry, or interested in fish.

The Fall Fair.

The Fall Fair is an institution that is both useful and significant. The competition it provides among farmers induces a spirit of wholesome rivalry and a desire to excel among those whose efforts have most to do with the future of the country. The display of farm produce gathered in the buildings and on the grounds is the most satisfactory proof of what the country is capable, and as Alberta is now a country to which visitors come in large numbers its influence in spreading abroad a knowledge of the resources and conditions of the Province is worthy of note. At the same time the fair itself is a periodical event which serves in a rough and general way to measure the progress of settlement and to indicate the degree of development which has been attained. The exhibit at the local fair in quality and quantity, compared with that of previous years,

reflects the increase in the number of farmers living in the locality and also whether or not they are making improvement in the quality of their products or increasing the variety. The attendance, compared with that at the preceding event reflects even better the increase that has taken place in the population of the community in the twelvemonth. In the same way the number of new fairs appearing on the list each year serves to indicate the rapidity with which the wilderness is being dotted with communities of farmers. Where there is a fair there must be settlement, and if this year there is a fair where last year there was none that is presumptive evidence that settlement has been making rapid progress in that section or that the settlers were neglectful of their opportunities in previous years. As the disposition in Alberta is to establish a fair as soon as the material for it is assured, the announcement of a new one added to the list may be taken as invariably indicating the presence of settlement where a year or so ago there was none or very little. No more striking demonstration of the growth of the Province can be had than by comparing the number of fairs that are being held in 1910 with the number held in 1900. Ten years ago the fall fairs held in the Province could be counted on the fingers. This year they must be counted by the score. Dozens of communities where in these autumn days crowds are gathering from far and near to view the exhibits of cultivated fields and carefully tended stock, were then simply stretches of un-

populated wilderness, uncropped, unbroken, and, without even range cattle grazing on them. Camrose, Daysland and Sedgewick districts, the country along the Canadian Northern main line, the whole splendid strip of marvelous fertile country which comprises the easterly part of Central Alberta was then without population. This fall dozens of fairs are being held in that district, are being attended by large crowds of people, and display the products of fields which were then useless. Other stretches of country in the Province, equally large, show the same difference. This serves to remind us in another and impressive manner that we are living in one of the most rapidly settling countries in the world, and one which is being settled more rapidly every year.

It is unfortunate that there are not means for bringing this convincing kind of evidence home to a larger number of people living outside the Province. Yearly larger numbers of people from the older provinces, the States, and the Old Lands visit Canada, and those who are rightly advised do not go back without seeing something of Alberta. But there has not yet been made any large and systematic effort to bring the indisputable evidence of the Alberta fall fair before the attention of the visitor. Could that be done valuable results should follow in the way of spreading the reputation of our country in places where it is desirable it should be made known. Suppose the railways operating into this Province were to combine in offering each fall low ex-

cursion rates from the east and the south, rates which would permit the excursionist to travel all over the Province and see everything that was to be seen, the way would be opened for bringing before him the concrete evidence provided by hundreds of exhibits of farm products. We now send exhibits abroad, very properly. The Autumn excursion would entice the man from abroad into the country where these exhibits are grown, and within sight of the convincing testimony of the fall fair. The temporary cost to the railways would be merely an investment which would be amply repaid in no great length of time by the impetus given to settlement.

The Simple Life.

Perhaps the only country where you can occasionally see a king leaning out of a window of the royal palace and passing the time of day with his subjects, is Montenegro, whose popular ruler has celebrated the completion of fifty years reign by assuming kingly rank and title.

Mirrors, there are none in Montenegro, neither are there any trains or street cars.

For six years there has not been a single case of robbery or burglary in Montenegro. There are at present only eight convicts in the Cetinje jail, all young men who have killed or maimed someone in accordance with the Montenegrin vendetta. It is a queer sight to see them calmly stroll about the streets smoking cigarettes. They are let out for exercise every morning and afternoon accompanied by one warder.

Each of them drags an iron chain by his feet. The size of the chain varies according to the gravity of man's offence. A man who has killed someone has a chain on each ankle. It makes a loud noise on the cobblestones, but the prisoners are quite unconcerned. They buy their own food, munch it calmly as they promenade along and stroll back again into prison.

Duncan Ross has sold his farm near town to a Mr. Gibson, a new settler from Dakota.

The cholera epidemic which, originating in southern Russia, has claimed already upwards of 100,000 victims, is stretching its way across Asiatic Russia, and is officially declared to threaten the province of Amur, in southeast Siberia, and separated by the Amur River from Manchuria. To date there has been a total of 182,327 cases of the disease and 83,613 deaths.

G. W. Patten, of wheat corner fame, died yesterday from tuberculosis. He left \$5,000,000 for the prosecution of researches into the cause of that disease.

To Saskatchewan and Alberta were credited with no less than 22 of the 43 new postoffices opened in the Dominion on September 21. Alberta alone has 10 of the offices.

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